





REGAL LILY
Jumbo bulbs, 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

#### HARDY GARDEN LILIES

LILIUM candidum (Madonna Lily). Best planted in September. Cover bulbs with 2 to 3 inches of soil, with a few handfuls of sand underneath each bulb. The bulbs will make 6 or 8 inches of top growth in the fall. After the ground is frozen, cover the tops with salt hay. 3 for \$1.35; \$4.95 per doz.; 25 for \$8.50

Plant 6 inches deep, in October and November. Blooms in July. 4 feet high. Jumbo bulbs, 3 for \$1.50;

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LILIUM speciosum magnificum. Pink spotted crimson. Grows 5 feet tall; blooms in August and September. Plant 8 to 9 inches deep, with sand under each bulb. For striking effects plant in groups of three to five with white phlox. 3 for \$2.25; \$8.00 per doz. (California Grown).

#### THE FIREKING LILY

Unusual because of its brilliant reddish orange color and its habit of producing a tremendous number of flowers (40 to 50) on a single stem. Blooms late June to end of July. \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per doz.

DUTCH IRIS For something different and

altogether beautiful try some Dutch Iris. Plant 4 to 5 inches deep. They may be grown in-doors as well as outdoors. Bloom in June.

GOLDEN HARVEST. Golden

yellow; fragrant. 95 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100. IMPERATOR. Dark purple-lilac. 95 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. Pure

white; fragrant. 95 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

#### AGRICO BULB FOOD



Tulips, Daffodils, Hyacinths, and all other bulbs require an abundance of plant food. This fertilizer contains nitrogen, phosphoric acid, and potash. The nitrogen induces fuscious foliage, the phosphorus promotes bigger and better blooms, and the potash is needed for good root development. It's good to feed the bulbs not only at the time of planting but also right after they flower, at which time the bulbs start to store food away for next year's flowers. Be sure to remove the dead flowers so as not to allow the plant to go to seed. Do not remove the foliage until it dies down at least two thirds of the way. 5 lbs. 90 cts.; 10 lbs. \$1.50.

If you do not find the kind of bulbs you are in need of on these pages, kindly let us know and if not in stock we can procure and supply at regular prices.



GRAPE HYACINTHS 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.



SCILLA SIBIRICA (Blue Squills) Grows 5 inches tall. 85 cts. per doz.; \$5.95 per 100.



LEUCOJUM VERNUM

(Spring Snowflake)
Blooms in April, \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

ERANTHIS HYEMALIS (Winter Aconite)
Very early blooming. Plant 2 inches deep,
3 to 4 inches apart. Clear buttercup-like flowers. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

# **CROCUS**

Bloom in March. Can be planted in lawns, borders or in the rock garden. Plant 3 inches deep.

> TOP-SIZED BULBS

Mammoth Yellow. Light Blue. Purple. Striped.

All above varieties, 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100

Snowstorm. White. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

Mixed. 45 cts. per doz.; \$2.95 per 100.



Plant Crocus by the 100 for a beautiful Spring Display

# Collection - ROCK GARDEN BULBS 96 Bulbs (12 each of 8 kinds) \$3.50 (\$4.95)

- 12 Scilla campanulata, Mixed
  12 Galanthus (School of School of Sch
- 12 Galanthus (Snowdrop) 12 Chionodoxa Luciliæ
- 12 Scilla sibirica

- 12 Botanical Tulip, Eichleri

- 12 Grape Hyacinth, Blue 12 Crocus, Mixed 12 Grape Hyacinth, White



GREENHOUSE EASTER LILY

CROFT. In November start one bulb per 6-inch pot in a good potting soil. Will bloom in late March or April, producing 8 to 10 blooms. Grows 2½ feet tall. \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per doz.



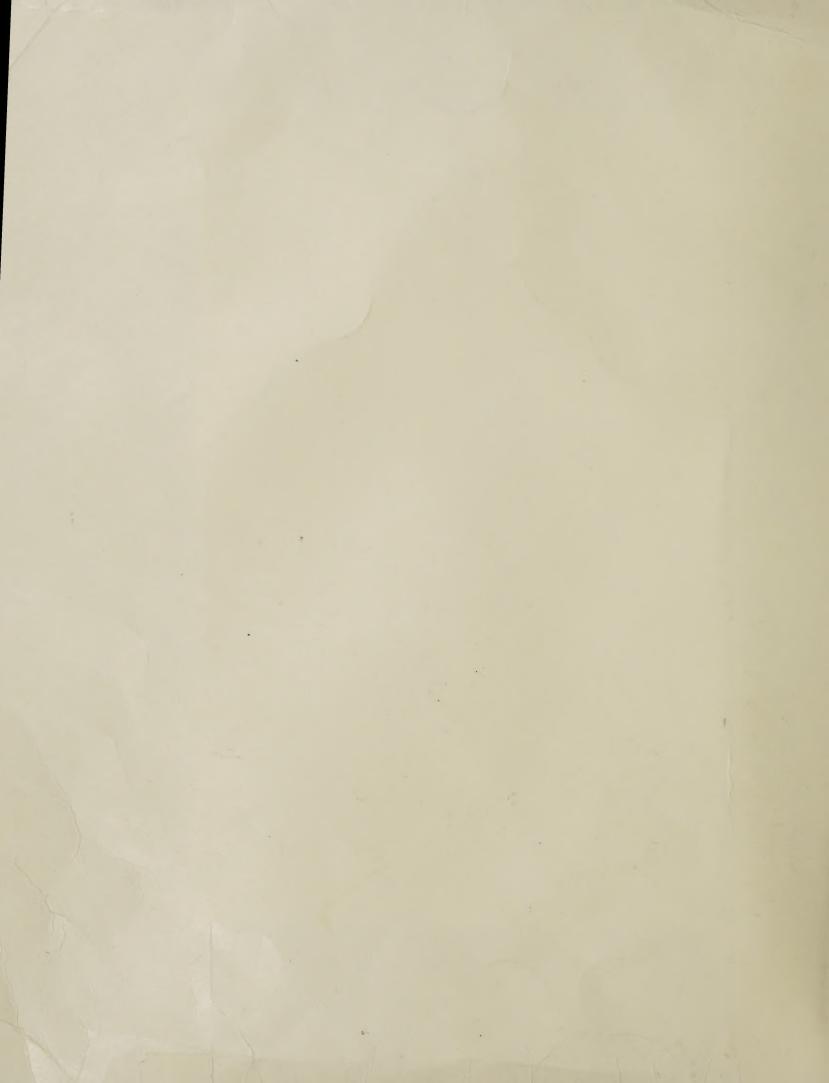
SCILLA CAMPANULATA. 18 in. (Wood Hyacinth)
White, Pink, and Blue. 60 cts. per doz.;
\$4.50 per 100



SNOWDROPS 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100



CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE. 5 in. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100



# DAFFODILS—NARCISSI . . . a Sure Sign of Spring



#### **DAFFODILS AND NARCISSUS** FOR NATURALIZING

A natural blended mixture for wooded areas, meadows, slopes, under trees, and for rough grassy situations. They multiply very rapidly and grow best with a southern

\$1.25 per doz.

\$8.00 per 100

\$75.00 per 1000

#### GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS DIVISION I

BEERSHEBA. Its pure white color and large size make it outstanding. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

FLOWER CARPET. All yellow. Especially good because of its ability to multiply year in and year out. \$1.50 per doz.; \$9.95 per 100.

GOLDEN HARVEST. The No. 1 hit in Daffodils. The largest pure golden yellow Daffodil that we have ever seen. Good forcer. \$2.60 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

KING ALFRED. Giant Jumbo bulbs especially adapted for forcing, for exhibition purposes, and for showy locations outside. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

Bedding Size, \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

LORD NELSON. A pure yellow Daffodil that ranks well above the average in size, substance and coloring. \$3.00 per doz.; \$22.00 per 100.

MAGNET. A new bicolor variety and by far the best yet of its type. Deep yellow trumpet with white perianth. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

MOUNT HOOD. One of the most beautiful of the pure whites, \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE. White in both trumpet and cream perianth. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

MUSIC HALL. Bicolor with golden yellow trumpet and a white perianth. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

PINK SUPREME. New. Well-formed flower with large, broad, soft pink trumpet. Lovely planted in groups in the border. \$2.60 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

WILLIAM THE SILENT. Extra large, all yellow flower. \$2.75

WORLD'S FAVORITE. Bicolor. Deep yellow trumpet with pure white perianth. Good for forcing as well as for show purposes. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

#### LARGE-CUPPED NARCISSI DIVISION II

**BERMUDA.** New. Very large, overlapping, soft yellow perianth and a large spreading crown of clear orange-red. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

DICK WELLBAND. Lovely large, pure white with brilliant scarlet cup. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

DUKE OF WINDSOR. Huge, creamy white perianth, with extra-large rich yellow, heavily frilled cup. \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

#### LARGE-CUPPED, continued

JOHANNESBURG. New. Large white perianth with open yellow frilled cup. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

LADY KESTEVEN. Pure white with large, intensely red cup. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

PLUVIUS. New. Star-shaped flower. Golden yellow petals with a very ruffled, orange trumpet. \$2.60 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. PRINCESS BEATRIX. Perianth is pure white, with a well-proportioned, frilled cup, which is orange-scarlet toward the edges. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

RED MARLEY. New. Perianth is a dark golden yellow. The cup is quite long and is tinted a rich copper-red. \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

SELMA LAGERLOF. Large, pure white perianth. Red crown edged yellow. \$2.60 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. SCARLET LEADER. Perfectly flat and broad perianth of creamy white color; large, flat, deep red crown. Really outstanding, \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

TUNIS. An early-season bloomer with broad white perianth enhanced by a bold ivory trumpet. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

#### DOUBLE NARCISSI DIVISION IV

CHEERFULNESS. Double-clustered, fragrant white flowers. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

INDIAN CHIEF. Large, well-filled flower of beautiful yellow, with pronounced orange-red inner petals. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

INGLESCOMBE. Large soft yellow, fully double. \$2.50 per doz.;

SNOWBALL. An early bloomer with large, fully double, white flowers. Very useful for forcing. \$3.00 per doz.; \$22.00 per 100. YELLOW CHEERFULNESS. Double-clustered, fragrant yellow flowers. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

#### POETAZ (Clustered Narcissus) DIVISION VIII

GERANIUM. Large, pure white flowers in clusters; orange-red cup. Free flowering on strong, long stems. One of our favorites. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

#### POETAZ, continued

CRAGFORD. Creamy white with orange cup. May be forced like Paper-Whites. \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

#### POETICUS NARCISSI DIVISION IX

ACTAEA. The Poet's Narcissus. An old favorite. Single white flower with red eye. The largest-flowered Poeticus. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

#### SHORT-CUPPED NARCISSI DIVISION III

APRICOT DISTINCTION. Orange-red cup with apricot-shaded perianth. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

FIRETAIL. White perianth with large, flat, red cup. Unusual. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

#### MISCELLANEOUS NARCISSI

BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS. 6 in. Division X. The Yellow Hoop Petticoat. See illustration. \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100. CAMPERNELLES. Division X. Single yellow miniature Daffodil flower. Very dainty. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

JONQUIL, SINGLE SIMPLEX. 12 in. Division X. The true sweet-scented Jonquil. Three to five miniature all yellow Daffodils per stem. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

TREVITHIAN. 12 in. Division VII. Small, all yellow, Daffodilshaped flowers. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

TRIANDRUS ALBUS. 4 in. Division X. Angel's Tears. Lovely little clusters of tiny, creamy white flowers. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

TRIANDRUS, THALIA. 15 in. Division V. Three to five, all white blooms per stem. \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

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WORLD'S FAVORITE \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100



MOUNT HOOD



\$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100



CHEERFULNESS



BERMUDA





MUSIC HALL \$2.50 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100



TRIANDRUS NARCISSUS, THALIA 15 inches high. The orchid-flowered Daffodil with three to five blooms per stem. \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.



DICK WELLBAND

ROUND HILL

Daffodil COLLECTION 5 each of 6 varieties

5 Music Hall. Bicolor Trumpet. Yellow trumpet with white peri-

5 Indian Chief. Double. Yellow with

5 Dick Wellband. Medium Trum-

pet. White with scarlet cup.

5 Golden Harvest. Trumpet. All

5 Actaea. Poeticus. Single white

30 Bulbs \$4.75

5 Geranium. Clustered. Pure white

orange-red center.

with orange-red cup.

MINIATURE DAFFODIL BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS 6 inches high. The Yellow Hoop Petticoat. \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.



FLOWER CARPET (The Multiplier Daffodil) Especially good because of its ability to multiply year in and year out. \$1.50 per doz.; \$9.95 per 100.



SELMA LAGERLOF \$2.60 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100



\$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100





INDIAN CHIEF \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100





SCARLET LEADER



PRINCESS BEATRIX





FIREDANCER. 30 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100

# Beautiful TULIPS for Your 1959 Spring Garden

AT LOWER PRICES

# **DARWIN TULIPS**



PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. 30 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100





GOLDEN HARVEST. 28 in. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100



PRIDE OF HAARLEM. 30 in. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100



GOLDEN MEASURE. 24 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100

NOBEL. 26 in. 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100



#### McARDLE'S PINETUM TULIP COLLECTION

Tulips offered in this collection are the same varieties that were grown at Montgomery Pinetum in Cos Cob, Conn., last spring.

Five different colors, each variety labeled. Collection includes: 50 BULBS

10 Mount Erebus. White.
10 Mamassa. Golden-yellow.
10 Smiling Queen. Pink.
10 General de la Rey. Salmon-pink.
10 Firedancer. Red.
(\$5.35 value)



SMILING QUEEN. 28 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



MOUNT EREBUS. 28 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



DORRIE OVERALL. 30 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100



QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. 34 in. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100

ZWANENBURG. 28 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



ECLIPSE. 30 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



GENERAL DE LA REY. 30 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



INSURPASSABLE. 30 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100



NIPHETOS. 28 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100



RED MASTER. 34 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100



CLARA BUTT. 24 in. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100



PONTIAC. 32 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100

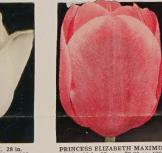


FANTASY. 27 in. Salmon-rose feathered green. The original Parrot that was a sport of the old favorite Clara Butt. 10 for \$1.00; \$9.00 per 100.

ORANGE FAVORITE. 24

FARROT WONDER. 30 in.
The largest Parrot variety in existence. Brilliant red flower that is long lasting.
Has a strong stem that holds the flower well. 10 for \$1.00; \$9.00 per 100.

CUM LAUDE. 30 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100



WHITE ROCK. 28 in. 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100

PARROT TULIPS New Low Prices

BLACK PARROT. 28 in. Rarest and most exotic of the Parrots. Immense, purplish black blooms. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100. BLUE PARROT. 30 in. Very showy, fringed blue. Excellent for arrangements. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100. DISCOVERY, 24 in, Delicate violet-pink edged silvery white. A sport of the Darwin Princes Elizabeth. This variety made a beautiful showing last spring at the Montgomery Pinetum. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100.

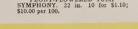


TEXAS GOLD. 15 in. 10 for \$1.00; \$9.00 per 100



McARDLE'S DARWIN TULIP MIXTURE

10 for 75 cts.; \$6.95 per 100; \$32.50 for 500 TEXAS GOLD. 15 in. Clear, bright yellow flowers with a narrow red edge. Beautiful, heavily laciniated, enormous flowers on strong stems. 10 for \$1.00; \$9.00 ptr 100.



FANCY PEACOCK TULIPS Vary in height from 8 to 18 inches. 10 for \$1,35; \$12.00 per 100



New Variety—Lily-Flowered Tulip RED SHINE. 26 in. (Not illustrated) Without doubt the finest red in this group. Long lasting and superb as a cut flower. This variety made an outstanding show at the Montgomery Pinetum last spring. 10 for \$1.50; \$14.00 per 100.

WHITE TRIUMPHATOR. 26 in. (to 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100 SEBASTIAN. 24 in. (center) 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100 QUEEN OF SHEBA. 24 in. (bottom) 10 for \$1.00; \$14.00 per 100

BOTANICAL TULIPS For Borders and Rock Gardens—April Blooming

CLUSIANA. 8 in. The Candystick Tulip. Red, inside white. Soak bulbs in water overnight before planting. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100.

DASYSTEMON. 4 to 6 in. A miniature lily-flowered Tulip that blooms early. White and yellow flower that has pointed petals. 10 for \$1.50; \$14.00 per 100.

EICHLERI. 12 in. Scarlet with black center. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100.

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GOLDEN EMPEROR. 18 in. Large golden yellow flower that blooms at the same time as Red Emperor. 60 ets each; 10 for \$5.50.

KAUFMANNIANA. 8 in. Primrose-yellow, outside pink. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100.

FEACOCK TULIPS. New. Kaufmanniana Hybrids varying in height from 8 to 18 inches. Bloom over a long period. 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100.

RED EMPEROR. 18 in. The sensational early-blooming Tulip with the big red flower. 10 for 95 ets.; \$10.00 per 100.

WHITE EMPEROR. 18 in. Blooms at the same time as Red Emperor. Equally large and most effective when used in combination with Red Emperor, 3 for 80 cts.; 10 for \$2.50; \$22.50 per 100.



Lily-Flowered TULIPS

PICOTEE. 22 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100

MRS. MOON. 26 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100

Single Early

Tulips. COULEUR CARDINAL. 15 in. Pure red. GENERAL DE WET. 15 in. Sweet-GOLDEN MASCOT. 15 in. Clear KEIZERSKROON. 15 in. Red with PINK BEAUTY. 15 in. Rose color with white flush.
WHITE HAWK. 15 in. Pure white.
All above varieties, 10 for \$1.35;
\$12.00 per 100

Double Early

Tulips

\$1.35; \$12.00 per 100

Two weeks ahead of the Darwins.

Excellent for border and rock garden. Good for forcing indoors. Grow 12 inches high.

DANTE. Red.
MR. VAN DER HOEF. Golden yellow.
ORANGE NASSAU. Orange.
PEACH BLOSSOM. Pink.
SNOWBALL. White.
All above varieties, 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100

New Peony-Flowered

Tulips They actually have flowers as big as peonies. Bloom in May.

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GOLD MEDAL. 22 in. Clear yellow,
LILAC STAR. 15 in. Silvery lilae.
MAY WONDER. 26 in. Pink.
MOUNT TACOMA. 20 in. Pure white.
SYMPHONY. 22 in. Raspberry-red.
All above varieties, 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100

# Another 10,000 Tulips for Montgomery Pinetum

This fall McArdle's are again donating 10,000 Tulip bulbs to the Town of Greenwich. They will be planted at the Montgomery Pinetum in Cos Cob, Conn., under the supervision of Joseph Dietrich, Superintendent of Parks. Be sure to visit Montgomery Pinetum next spring when these bulbs are in bloom. There will be the spectacular recytes, the all double Peony-flowered Tulips, botanical Tulips and many other new and unusual varieties. Six of these varieties will be labeled, here is an opportunity to select your favorites for planting about your own home.

# Cottage TULIPS That Bloom in May













MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS. 28 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9,00 per 100



MARSHALL HAIG. 28 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



MARJORIE BOWEN. 26 in. 10 for 95 cts.; \$9.00 per 100

### Four New Early Hybrid Tulips

DARDANELLES. 26 in. The largest flower of any known Tulip. The color is a dazz-ling searlet. Blooms earlier than the Darwins. 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100.

DOVER, 20 in. Early, A the Montgomery Pinetum this variety bloomed at the same time as White Emperor and made a beautiful combination with it. The large, fragrant, poppy-red flowers are definitely outstanding. 10 for \$1.50; \$14.00 per 100.

GUDOSHNIK. 25 in. A large yellow bloom spotted red, with black anthers and purple base. This is really something different. 10 for \$1.05; \$15.00 per 100.

SPRING SONG. 26 in. Crimson flowers shading to scarlet toward the edges, with yellow base. Strong stem. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100.

New Multi-flowering Tulip, ROSE MIST

Good Tulips for Forcing
WHITE VIRGIN. Pure white.
HER GRACE. Rosy pink.
HIS EXCELLENCE. Yellow.
All above varieties, 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100



MOROCCO BEAUTY. 28 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100

# Breeder TULIPS

DILLENBURG. 28 in. 10 for 90 cts.; \$8.00 per 100







INDIAN CHIEF. 36 in. 10 for \$1.35; \$12.00 per 100



GEORGES GRAPPE. 32 in. 10 for \$1.10; \$10.00 per 100



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# **HYACINTHS**

# BLOOMS IN LATE APRIL RICH IN FRAGRANCE

Hyacinth bulbs should be spaced 10 inches apart and planted 5 to 6 inches deep. Ideal for the formal garden, they also can be planted informally in groups in the perennial border or in the foreground of the shrub border. They will scent the spring garden as no other early-flowering plant can do.

Apricot Queen. Apricot-orange. City of Haarlem. Yellow. Delft Blue. Medium blue. King of the Blues. Dark rich blue. La Victoire. Red. L'Innocence. White. Myosotis. Forget-me-not-blue. Pink Pearl. Pink.

#### Any of above

Exhibition Size. Especially adapted for show gardens, greenhouses and indoor use. \$4.00 per doz.; \$28.00 per 100. Large Bedding Size. For outdoor garden use. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

#### HYACINTH COLLECTION

EACH VARIETY LABELED

- 5 King of the Blues.
- 5 L'Innocence. White.
  5 La Victoire. Red.
  5 City of Haarlem. Yellow.
- 5 Pink Pearl.

#### 25 Hyacinths \$3.50

5 bulbs each of 5 varieties (\$4.50 value)

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L'INNOCENCE



KING OF THE BLUES